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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

In re

In re

Chapter 11

THE GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA

COMPANY, INC., et al.,

Debtors.

Debtors.

Case No. 15-23007 (RDD)

(Jointly Administered)

NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF BID DEADLINE AND CERTAIN RELATED DEADLINES AND DATES RELATING TO THE GLOBAL BIDDING PROCEDURES

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that:

1. On August 11, 2015, the Bankruptcy Court entered an order (the "<u>Global Bidding Procedures Order</u>") [Docket No. 495] establishing certain procedures (the "<u>Global</u>

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are as follows: 2008 Broadway, Inc. (0986); The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company, Inc. (0974); A&P Live Better, LLC (0799); A&P Real Property, LLC (0973); APW Supermarket Corporation (7132); APW Supermarkets, Inc. (9509); Borman's, Inc. (9761); Delaware County Dairies, Inc. (7090); Food Basics, Inc. (1210); Kwik Save Inc. (8636); McLean Avenue Plaza Corp. (5227); Montvale Holdings, Inc. (6664); Montvale-Para Holdings, Inc. (2947); Onpoint, Inc. (6589); Pathmark Stores, Inc. (9612); Plainbridge LLC (5965); Shopwell, Inc.(3304); Super Fresh Food Markets, Inc. (2491); The Old Wine Emporium of Westport, Inc. (0724); Tradewell Foods of Conn., Inc. (5748); and Waldbaum, Inc. (8599). The international subsidiaries of The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company, Inc. are not debtors in these chapter 11 cases. The location of the Debtors' corporate headquarters is Two Paragon Drive, Montvale, New Jersey 07645.

<u>Bidding Procedures</u>") that govern the sale of all of the Debtors' Stores, including the 118 Stores included in the separate stalking horse bids submitted by Acme Markets, Inc., The Stop & Shop Supermarket Company, LLC, and Key Food Stores Co-Operative, Inc. (the "<u>Stalking Horse Bids</u>").²

- 2. As permitted by the Global Bidding Procedures, and after consultation with the Consultation Parties and receiving feedback from certain potential bidders, the Debtors have determined to extend the Bid Deadline and adjourn the Auction and Sale Hearing to provide all interested parties with sufficient time to submit Qualified Bids and to avoid logistical complications arising from the timing of Pope Francis' visit to New York City, the General Assembly of the United Nations and certain religious holidays.
 - 3. The Debtors hereby:
 - (A) extend the Global Bid Deadline until **September 17, 2015 at 5:00 p.m.** (**Eastern Time**) (the "Extended Bid Deadline");
 - (B) adjourn the Auction to **October 1, 2015 and October 2, 2015,** beginning at 9:30 a.m. (Eastern Time); and
 - (C) adjourn the Sale Hearing to approve Successful Bids at the Auction to October 16, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.
- 4. The deadline to submit a Sale Objection, Cure Objection, and Adequate Assurance Objection in respect of a Stalking Horse Bid shall remain **September 11, 2015 at 5:00 p.m.** (Eastern Time). For each Stalking Horse Bid, if no Qualified Bid (other than the Stalking Horse Bid) is received by the Extended Bid Deadline, then the hearing for approval of such Stalking Horse Bid shall remain scheduled for **September 21, 2015, at 10:00 a.m.** (Eastern Time).
- 5. The Auction shall be held at the offices of Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP, 767 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10153.

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² Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Global Bidding Procedures.

6. As reflected in the following summary of important dates, the Debtors hereby modify certain other dates and deadlines in light of the Extended Bid Deadline and the adjournment of the Auction and Sale Hearing:³

Dates and Deadlines Relating to the Global Bidding Procedures		
September 11, 2015, at 5:00 p.m.	Deadline to Object to Sale of Stores and Assumption and Assignment of Transferred Contracts to Stalking Horse Bidders, Including Proposed Cure Amounts	
September 17, 2015, at 5:00 p.m.	Global Binding Bid Deadline	
September 18, 2015 at 4:00 p.m.	Deadline for Debtors to File Notice Cancelling Auction with Respect to Stalking Horse Store Packages for Which No Qualified Overbid Received	
	Reply Deadline for Sale Hearing on Stalking Horse Packages	
September 21, 2015, at 10:00 a.m.	Sale Hearing for Stalking Horse Store Packages for Which No Qualified Overbid Received	
September 25, 2015, at 5:00 p.m.	Debtors to Designate and Publish Qualified Bidders; Select Baseline Bids; and Publish Additional Stores to Be Included in the Auction	
	Debtors to File and Serve Cure Notice for Additional Contracts to Be Included in the Auction	
October 1 and October 2, 2015, at 9:30 a.m.	Auction to be conducted at the offices of Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP; 767 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York 10153	
October 3, 2015	Debtors to File and Serve Notice of Successful Bidders	
October 9, 2015, at 4:00 p.m.	Deadline to Object to Sale of Additional Stores / Assumption and Assignment of Additional Contracts	
	Deadline to Object to Assumption and Assignment of Transferred Contracts to Qualified Bidders Other than the Stalking Horse Bidders, Including Proposed Cure Amounts	
October 15, 2015, at 10:00 a.m.	Debtors to File Reply to Objections	
October 16, 2015, at 10:00 a.m.	Sale Hearing for Additional Stores and Any Stores in a Stalking Horse Store Package included in Auction	

³ A comparison reflecting changes to the summary of important dates is attached as <u>Exhibit A</u> hereto.

- 7. If a Potential Bidder submitted a bid, the Debtors will not discuss the substance of such bid with any other Potential Bidder prior to the Extended Bid Deadline.
- 8. If you have questions concerning the contents of this notice or the sale process, you should contact the representative of the Debtors with whom you have previously been in contact or the Debtors' advisors:
 - (A) Gregory Apter of Hilco Real Estate LLC (gapter@hilcoglobal.com);
 - (B) Stephen Goldstein and Paul Billyard of Evercore Group LLC (stephen.goldstein@evercore.com and billyard@evercore.com); or
 - (C) Ray Schrock and Garrett Fail of Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP (ray.schrock@weil.com and garrett.fail@weil.com).

Dated: September 11, 2015 New York, New York

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EXHIBIT A

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September 11, 2015, at 5:00 p.m.	•	Deadline to Object to Sale of Stores and Assumption and Assignment of Transferred Contracts to Stalking Horse Bidders, Including Proposed Cure Amounts	
September 1117, 2015, at 5:00 p.m.	•	Global Binding Bid Deadline	
September <u>1518</u> , 2015 at 4:00 p.m.	•	Deadline for Debtors to File Notice Cancelling Auction with Respect to Stalking Horse Store Packages for Which No Qualified Overbid Received	
	<u>•</u>	Reply Deadline for Sale Hearing on Stalking Horse Packages	
September 21, 2015, at 10:00 a.m.	•	Sale Hearing for Stalking Horse Store Packages for Which No Qualified Overbid Received	
September 2125, 2015, at 5:00 p.m.	•	Debtors to Designate and Publish Qualified Bidders; Select Baseline Bids; and Publish Additional Stores to Be Included in the Auction	
	•	Debtors to File and Serve Cure Notice for Additional Contracts to Be Included in the Auction	
September 24 <u>October</u> 1 and 25 <u>October 2</u> , 2015, at 9:30 a.m.	•	Auction to be conducted at the offices of Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP; 767 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York 10153	
September 26 October <u>3</u> , 2015	•	Debtors to File and Serve Notice of Successful Bidders	
October 29, 2015, at 4:00 p.m.	•	Deadline to Object to Sale of Additional Stores / Assumption and Assignment of Additional Contracts	
	•	Deadline to Object to Assumption and Assignment of Transferred Contracts to Qualified Bidders Other than the Stalking Horse Bidders, Including Proposed Cure Amounts	
October 6 <u>15</u> , 2015, at 10:00 a.m.	•	Debtors to File Reply to Objections	
October 7 <u>16</u> , 2015, at 10:00 a.m.	•	Sale Hearing for Additional Stores and Any Stores in a Stalking Horse Store Package included in Auction	